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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: JOHN F. ENGELHARDT ET AL. Examiner: Kevin Kai Hill
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EPITHELIAL SODIUM CHANNEL ASSOCIATED DISORDERS

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

MS Amendment
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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 5, 2006, Applicant submits the following.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a five-month extension of the period for responding to the Restriction Requirement, thereby moving the deadline for response from November 5, 2006 to April 5, 2007.